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BETHEL AND VICINITY

Gilbert Brown, who has been ill, is improving.

Fred Wood is visiting relatives at Greene and Monmouth.

Mrs. Wallace Warren is in Boston this week, visiting relatives.

Rosaline Morrill and Kathryn Andrews spent the week end in Norway.

Mrs. Augusta Hamlin of South Paris is the guest of Miss L. M. Stearns.

Glyndon Savin of Lewiston is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Savin.

Miss Anna Cummings of Lewiston is spending a month in town with Mrs. Fred Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Knowles of Portland spent the week end at Laurens Lord's.

Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Hanscom have returned from their summer home in Mechanic Falls.

Mrs. Norman Sanborn was last week's guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Frost, of Kingfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold King, Mrs. Jennie King, and Mrs. Lucian Littlehale were in Bath recently.

Mrs. A. L. Brooks is ill with the mumps at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alberta Croteau.

Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Lord of West Paris spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. H. T. Sawin.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Forbes of Rumford are spending a two weeks vacation with relatives in town.

Mrs. Ralph Gullow and daughter Joan of Boston have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Mabel Beckler.

Jack Gill visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gill, of New Bedford, Mass., Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Doyen of Farmington were callers at Wesley Wheeler's Sunday en route to Quebec.

Richard Andrews, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hawkins at Erol, N. H., has returned home.

Miss Faye Sanborn went to Boston today, where she has a position in the store of Houghton and Dutton.

Mrs. James MacFarlane and daughter Jacqueline are guests of Miss Margaret Hanscom at Mechanic Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Keefe and baby and Mrs. Effie Akers and daughter Doris left Sunday for Wellesley, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Carver and two children and Mrs. Mary Robinson and Jackson Carver were in Skowhegan Wednesday.

Mrs. Andrew Gale and daughter, Mrs. Lester Murray of Berlin, N. H., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamlin this week.

Laurence, Hildred, Phyllis, Lois, and Bessie Bartlett called on their cousin, Sadie Rowe, at Hilsbetown Thursday evening.

Several small spruce trees which were recently set out on the Common near the top of Mill Hill were uprooted Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merrill and daughter Beatrice spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Arnold Merrill and family at Bridgton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sloane and daughter June of Lewiston spent last day with his sister, Mrs. Gerlie E. Haggood, and family.

Mrs. Fred Robertson and daughter Carol, who have spent several weeks in New York and Connecticut visiting relatives, have returned home.

Favorable reports are received from Ernest Blake who is at the Central Maine General Hospital, suffering from a severe injury to his back.

Mrs. Ella Gould, formerly of Lewiston, has come to spend the winter with Mrs. Edith Grover. Her son James and daughter May accompanied her.

H. D. Harridan and C. C. Ennis who were stationed at West Bethel for ten days in preparation for observing the eclipse, returned to their homes in Washington, D. C. Friday.

Dr. H. M. Wilson who has been practicing with Dr. Pulister at Berlin, N. H., has rented the Dr. Wright residence and will practice medicine here. He is a graduate of the University of Vermont.

Among those from Bethel in attendance at Shriners' Day at the State Fair at Lewiston Wednesday were E. P. Lyon, C. W. Hall, D. O. Brooks, E. L. Edwards, J. P. Butts, L. L. Carver, E. M. Walker, and R. L. Lieberness.

Frank Williamson had both bones in one leg broken last Thursday afternoon when a log he was yarding at the Hastings cutting in Gratton Notch caught in brush and snapped around, hitting him. He was taken to the O. M. O. Hospital, Lewiston, where he is making a good recovery.



DR. JOHN GEORGE GEHRING

The Much Loved Man

As if there had been granted to him a rare and beautiful consummation of life, the past year and a half have brought to Dr. Gehring a very unusual experience, a glorious retrospection, which seems the crowning of his days.

After a period of flagging physical forces, worn by the long strain of the peculiar and exacting demands of the practice of his profession along his chosen lines, he had found anew the vigor, the zest, the enthusiasm of youth. Tempered by the wisdom, the mellowed outlook of the tried experimenter in the problems of life.

The one ray of light that pierces the shadow into which swift death has plunged the village of his adoption, comes in the thought of the radiantly happy summer which he and Mrs. Gehring have passed since they came home to us in June. Never in all their rich and varied experience, it has seemed, have they so fully known, so deeply appreciated "the durable satisfactions of life." Only last Sunday he walked down the broad street that he loved so well with all the verve, the alertness of a young man.

He has been so youthful, so buoyant in spirit. So delighted to renew contacts with friends and former patients, who have come from far to see him. So alive to the pleasures of his beautiful home. So boyishly keen to the wonders of his enchanted woods. So eager to take up again his healing art. Never was there so perfect an aftermath.

Bethel, in its reserved New England way, has been proud of its distinguished citizen. Proud of the honors he has won of the degrees conferred upon him. That a wing of the great Neurological Institute in New York bears his name.

But it is of other things that many are thinking most today. Of "that best part of a good man's life, the little nameless . . . acts of kindness and of love." How he brought the bulbs and superintended and aided in the planting of a tulip bed for a neighbor who, he had heard, loved tulips. How patiently he has rapped out and overseen the planting of shrubbery for helpless and discouraged amateurs. How he delighted to recognize and foster any budding desire for the beautifying of the village.

Many of us remember with gratitude and regret—with what artistic skill he designed and with what tireless, self-sacrificing energy he worked to make the village common the place of unusual beauty which it once was. There are innumerable memories. Of burdens lifted from tired shoulders. Of paths made straight before weary feet. Of the oil of kindness brought to the healing of wounds.

The Boy Scouts think of his contribution of interest in them this summer. The delightful, and to more or less youngsters, disarming way in which he devoted himself to them one evening not long ago. They went home with eyes open to things hitherto unseen along the common way, promoted to the dignity of being coworkers with him in his nature study. And a vivid conception of what a Good Fellow a Big Man could really be.

There comes too the quickened consciousness of what a very tower of strength he has been in the civic life of this town. Of how much of enrichment has poured into it through channels of his cutting. Of how ready he always was to put his shoulder to the wheel in an emergency. Of what an invincible power he was to causes which he espoused—with Dr. Gehring's name the day was won. So that when word came that he had fallen it seemed to some that the very foundations were shaken.

All his vast output of work has been done under the handicap of a very delicate, highly strung nervous or organization and none too robust body.

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RALLIES HERE TONIGHT AND TOMORROW NIGHT

REPUBLICANS HAVE ODEON HALL TONIGHT AND DEMOCRATS TOMORROW

Three prominent speakers are scheduled to be here tonight at the Republican rally. They are the Hon. James McLaughlin, who was Assistant to Hoover when he was Secretary of Commerce; Hon. Donald B. Partridge, the present representative from this district; and Hon. Carroll Beedy, who is the candidate for re-election as representative to Congress from the district which now includes Oxford County. All of these speakers are familiar to Bethel people and should attract a large gathering.

The Bluebird Orchestra of Bethel will furnish music for the occasion. Paul Thurston will speak tomorrow.

At the Democratic Rally the speakers will be Ex-Congressman George H. Coombs of Missouri and Paul C. Thurston of Bethel. The support given Mr. Thurston in his campaign in the June primaries indicates that there will be a large turnout of members of both parties to hear his message. An added feature of interest will be a motion picture showing the bombing of real battleships by aircraft, and there will be a talk by Lieut. Fred Rowell of the Air Corps Reserve. Mr. Rowell is the Democratic candidate for Register of Probate.

According to the posters advertising the events all are welcome to both rallies, which will open at 8 p. m. daylight time.

OXFORD POMONA HELD AT NEWRY

GUESTS OF BEAR RIVER AND ALDER RIVER GRANGES

Oxford Pomona met in regular session at Bear River Grange Hall, Tuesday, September 6, the guests of Bear River and Alder River Granges.

The degree was conferred upon four candidates in the forenoon, after which an hour was taken for dinner served by the two Granges.

After dinner the Grange was called to order and a roll call of Granges followed. There were visitors from Auburn, Mexico and Pleasant Valley. The following program was given:

Address of Welcome.

Addison Saunders, Master of Bear River Grange.

W. Pomona Master, Ellis Davis Community Singing Reading, "The Jolly Old Pedagogue."

Mano Duet.

Ben and Slater Russell of Bethel Report of Lecturer's Conference.

Worthy Lecturer, Edward Bennett also remarks on the Conference at Slater Mundt of Pleasant Valley.

Stated Carrie Wright and Ethel Va of Bear River.

Reading, "If." F. I. French Song, "Like Along." Quartet.

The State Master was expected but as he could not come, Rev. L. A. Harris was the speaker of the day. His subject was, "What is Mr. Worth?" All enjoyed Mr. Edwards' talk very much.

Mr. Chandler gave a talk concerning insurance in the Grange, explaining why premiums are higher. Several others made remarks along this line.

The next regular meeting of Oct. 21 Pomona in Past Masters' Day at S. Waterford.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Brown, near York and John Berry spent the weekend in Bangor.

The Ladies Aid will hold a public supper at the Methodist Church Thursday, Sept. 15, at 6:15 p. m.

Henry Hastings, Jr. spent last week with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Keeney, in Portland.

Miss Evelyn Brink recently spent two weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brink.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Greenleaf and daughter Esther of Starks are guests of Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf.

Dale Thurston and Henry Hastings, Jr. spent the afternoons of Tuesday and Friday of last week at Old Orchard Beach.

Miss Daisy Chase has returned from a two weeks vacation and will be at Mrs. Henry Austin's, Vernon Street, for her usual lessons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hodgdon and daughter, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Cates, have returned to their home in Kezar Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brink and three daughters and Mrs. Fred Kilgore were in Crystal, N. H., to visit Mr. Brink's mother, Mrs. Ella Brown, recently.

NAHUM MOORE DIED SUDDENLY YESTERDAY

DEATH FOLLOWED TENNIS GAME AT PITTSFIELD, MASS.

Nahum Park Moore of Bethel died suddenly yesterday at the Pittsfield, Mass., country club, while resting after a tennis game with Warren Abbott of Rumford. Over exertion is given as the cause of death, and he died before aid could be given to him.

Mr. Moore was born at Rumford 24 years ago, the son of the late Wallace Moore and Mrs. T. M. Stevens of Mexico. He was educated in the schools of his native town, graduated from Stephens High School, and attended Bowdoin College.

He came to Bethel 14 years ago and for four years was the superintendent of the local mill of N. S. Stowell & Co. Later he organized and was president of the Morrill, Adams Co., and since 1924 had been sales manager for Julius P. Skillings, spool manufacturers. At the time of his death he was also sales manager of the Birchwood Mfg. Co. of St. Gabriel de Brandon, P. Q.

With Mrs. Moore, he was on a vacation at Pittsfield at the time of the fatal stroke. He was a member of the Bethel Lodge of Masons and the Shrine.

Besides his widow, formerly Miss Dorothy Kimball of Rumford, he is survived by a daughter, Barbara; his mother, Mrs. T. M. Stevens of Mexico; three uncles, Albert D. Park of South Paris, Elmer C. Park of Bethel, and Henry Park of Mexico; and two aunts, Mrs. A. E. Small of Mexico and Mrs. H. C. Rolfe of Rumford.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Wilder Kimball, Rumford Center, and burial will be in the Rumford Center Cemetery.

KILLING THE WORK HORSE

A good many politicians seem to believe that the way to solve unemployment is to levy more taxes on the industries which, is a permanent and sound prosperity is to be achieved, must provide the jobs.

They figure that the way to get more work out of a horse is to load him so heavily that he is unable to move out of his tracks! The people must realize that it is from prosperous industries that they secure employment, and not from industry-killing politicians and taxation.

The York mills at Saco commenced operation Tuesday after a shut-down of three months. One thousand looms were placed in operation, employing from 200 to 400 workmen. George Spedford, treasurer of several textile mills of New England Industries, Inc., said that the number of looms in the Lewiston mills of the corporation is being increased and that the Edwards Manufacturing Co. in Andover is to operate on a practically full basis.

Maine will receive \$1572 in 1933 from the State's share of the federal highway fund created for employment relief by the Federal Government. The Legislature is expected to open up the National Road to private use and for protection from fire.

WARRANT FOR STATE ELECTION

State of Maine

County of Oxford, ss. Town of Bethel.

John L. Brown, Clerk of the Town of Bethel.

You are hereby notified in the name of the State of Maine to wit: and upon the oath of the undersigned, the Town of Bethel, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of the warrant for the State Election to be held on the 11th day of November, 1932.

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The Citizen has been the object of considerable criticism from time to time—and especially during the past week or two—for its attitude regarding the possibility of local improvements. We have been told to go to a locality said to be uncomfortably hot. It was also stated that the Citizen had never said a word in appreciation of the town as it now is, its natural beauties, or those effected by mankind. We know that many of our readers realize that this is far from the truth.

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POULTRY

SAVE THE POULTRY BY KILLING MITES

Simple Treatments to Get Rid of Lice.

By O. C. UFFORD, Extension Poultryman, Cornell University College (WSU Service).

Many Colorado farmers and poultrymen save money and cut costs of production simply by preventing their poultry and poultry houses from becoming infested with lice and mites. Lice and mite infestations affect the health, growth and production of poultry. These pests can be easily controlled by proper action. Lice, which live on the birds and are known as biting parasites, may be controlled by smearing a small amount of blue ointment mixed with an equal amount of petroleum jelly, lard or vaseline, around the vent. This treatment should never be used on small chicks. Dusting powders such as sodium fluoride may be placed in the feathers on different parts of the body to control lice.

When large flocks are to be treated for lice, nicotine sulphate may be applied with a brush or oil can to perches before the birds go to roost. Fumes from the nicotine destroy the parasites. This fluid will also kill mites if they come into contact with it. Bats infested flocks should be treated a second time in about ten days.

Mites live around perches and roosting places, gradually spreading over poultry houses and farm buildings when not controlled. Stock dips, formaldehyde or carbolic acid are some of the common materials used for spraying roosts and houses. An effective home remedy can be made by using one gallon of crude kerosene oil, one-half pint of stock dip or crude carbolic acid, and, if necessary, kerosene. The easiest time to control mites and lice is in the spring, before they become too numerous.

Flock Will Respond to Well-Balanced Ration

Eggs from chickens fed a ration full of vitamins A and D are better food than eggs from chickens fed ration less rich in these vitamins, according to the results of recent research available to the department of poultry husbandry at the Ohio State University. Recent experiments indicate, says the department, that the amount of vitamin A and D supplied to the birds is directly reflected in the vitamin content of the eggs produced. Thus, in feeding his hens to maintain their health, the poultryman is feeding for eggs of better quality and more worth. A ration for hens rich in vitamins would contain yellow corn, alfalfa leaf meal, or a high grade cod liver oil. Vitamin D prevents rickets and assists with the building of bone. Vitamin A builds resistance to disease and infections.

Early and Late Chicks

Chicks hatched early have many advantages over those hatched late. As a general rule they are more vigorous; the mortality is less; the cockerels may be sold for better prices, and the pullets will mature in time to lay high priced eggs next fall. Just why the early chick is more vigorous is hard to explain. That less mortality is experienced is probably due to the fact that earlier and purer chicks, such as worms and mites, are less active before the onset of hot weather. It is true that more trouble from these pests is experienced later in the season.

Poultry for Income

Science has placed the rate of mortality among chicken flocks so low that it is now no longer a major risk. As an income source, both from meat and eggs, poultry offers returns measured fairly accurately by the number of chicks to be used. The initial investment in equipment is offset today at least attractive prices and since the life of equipment extends over a long period of years, the annual investment may be considered very low.

Select Vigorous Chicks

Vigorous baby chicks have full bright eyes, downy feet, are plump and have well rounded shanks. Other points to look for in selecting chicks include the following: Freedom from bacillary white diarrhea, weight of eight pounds per 100 chicks at 21 hours of age, well healed body openings at which yolk was absorbed and richly pigmented shanks and beaks. Chicks from healthy breeding flocks and from birds high in egg production are always preferable.—Nebraska Farmer.

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CAN FRUIT JUICE NOW MAKE JELLY LATER ON

Many Maine homemakers are now canning fruit juices that will be made into jellies this coming winter when sugar is usually lower and more time is available, says Therese E. Wood, foods specialist for the Extension Service, who gives some pointers on this new method.

Jelly made in this way has more of the fresh fruit flavor than that which has been standing a number of months. Besides fewer jelly glasses are needed, as ones which have been emptied during the fall months can be refilled with the fresh jelly.

In canning fruit juice for winter jellies, it may be canned without sugar as the juice keeps just as well. Juice from the second and third extractions should be marked, as it will not make as firm or clear jelly. This juice adds an excellent flavor to mince meat and fruit cakes when substituted for other liquid.

In the winter when fresh jelly is desired, simply continue the jelly-making process from where it was stopped at the time the juice was put into the jars. You will find a supply of bottled fruit juice very useful for other things besides jellies. It will come in handy for pudding sauces for next winter's steamed and baked puddings, as well as for fruit tarts and sherbets, and even in fruit cups and cocktails if the fruit used needs some extra juice.

A Simple Process

Bottling the juice is really a simple process. The secret of keeping the delicious natural flavor and color of the fruit lies in heating just enough and not too much. Boiling changes the flavor. Cooking just under the boiling point not only brings out the juice from the fruit and develops the bright color and good flavor, but is also not enough to sterilize because of the acid content of the juice.

The first step, of course, is to pick over and wash the fruit, put it in a large preserving kettle and mash the fruit. Put over a low fire and bring up to the boiling point stirring all the time. Then remove from the fire, bring out the juice and intensifies the flavor and color. The fruit should then be strained through a heavy jelly bag just as is done in jelly making. The juice that runs out first without pressure is called "free juice" and, as every jelly maker knows, it is clearer than that obtained by pressing on the bag. If you want very clear juice, bottle this separately from the second lot, which must be helped through the bag by pressure.

And the fruit pulp that is left? Is that thrown away? No, indeed. Not in these days of thrift in household. The pulp still contains a good deal of flavor and will make delicious jams or fruit butters.

If one desires to use sugar when bottling the juice, and the sugar does improve the flavor of the juice, and helps retain the color, use one cup of sugar to one gallon of juice. Dissolve the sugar before the juice is reheated for bottling.

Now the sweetened juice goes back to the stove and is heated to the simmering point. For safety, use a double boiler. Heat the juice ten minutes over boiling water. Pour the hot juice into sterilized bottles, leaving an inch on top, seal the bottles tight before they are processed. Put bottles in a water bath and heat to the simmering point and hold at this temperature for ten minutes. Remove the bottles at once and let them cool.

There is a great advantage in canning grape juice, especially before making jelly, as the tartaric crystals often form in the juice upon standing rather than in the jelly.

Eight of the good apple growers in Oxford County have applied for an inspection to qualify for the year's clean Apple Club of Maine for 1932.

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RULES ON POULTRY TESTS ANNOUNCED

Rules and regulations governing the testing of poultry flocks in Maine for Pullorum Disease were announced recently by Professor E. R. Hitchner, Department of Bacteriology, College of Agriculture, University of Maine. They are as follows:

"The Department of Bacteriology and Veterinary Science of the College of Agriculture of the University of Maine will arrange to make tests for Pullorum Disease on flocks and report results of the test to the flock owner.

"The cost of testing for the present season will be eight cents per bird payable when the blood samples are taken. This will include cost of leg bands. Persons having the test made may be required to furnish transportation for the person who will take the blood samples to and from the nearest railroad station and also provide meals and lodging for him while the samples are being taken.

"That Pullorum Disease infection may not be carried from flock to flock, each owner is requested to furnish overalls and jacket, or their equivalent, to the man taking the blood samples.

"The testing will be started about September 20, 1932, and continue to February 1, 1933. After February 1, no birds can be tested except by special arrangement.

"Flocks which are found to be free from Pullorum Disease and otherwise eligible will be placed on the 'accredited list' which will be furnished to newspapers and to individuals requesting copies.

"The accredited list will be published on January 1, 1933. In order to make sure that a flock may be included in this list, the application for test must be received by the Department of Bacteriology and Veterinary Science, Orono, Maine, on or before October 1, 1932."

Last year, 237 Maine poultrymen complied with the regulations which are essentially as above. More than 131,000 birds were tested.

EXTENSION SERVICE

W. C. Porter of Dixfield will start testing with the Dairy Record Club this month. The 40 members now in the club are divided as follows: Bethel 3, Buckfield 4, Canton 1, Denmark 2, Dixfield 2, East Bethel 1, Fryeburg 4, North Lovell 2, Norway 1, North Paris 1, Rumford 2, Oxford 1, South Paris 3, Sumner 1, Waterford 2, Woodstock 1, and Upton 1.

A large number of poultrymen comprising the local poultry policy committee will meet at South Paris, Sept. 22 to arrange for starting new poultry project over the county.

All males need no breeders should possess and be able to transmit to their progeny the qualities that are wanted in poultry, namely: vitality, egg production, ability, great size, and confidence. The careful poultryman breeds the real value of his birds by observing the appearance and performance of his offspring through proper testing.

Those doing poultry work this year are: R. D. Hastings, East Bethel; Alfred Dyer, Norway; Mrs. V. P. Hackett, Buckfield; Mrs. Beale Foster, Rumford Center; Paul Wadsworth, Upton; and Louis Dagblom, West Bethel.

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NEWRY

Two families have moved onto the Newry farm.

Mr. Burnham is building a home for his family this winter.

W. H. Bond took his motor boat for a few days stay at Umbagog Lake.

Harold Fuller of Upton was in town last Sunday, calling.

Harry Clifford has bought a small car of Charles Carey.

Miss Eleanor Leonard spent Saturday afternoon at Mrs. Edna Smith's.

Mr. and Mrs. P. I. French attended Pomona last week and Sunday they went to Errol, N. H., to take Mrs. Agnes Sweet and son who had been visiting them to their home.

Mrs. Rita Sanborn has gone to No. Waterford to work at Walter Lord's.

Walter Powers sold a heifer last week to Mr. Blake of Bethel.

Mrs. Fred Wright called at Walter Powers' last Thursday.

Mrs. H. R. Powers was at Mrs. W. H. Bond's Friday afternoon.

C. H. Frost of Bethel was in town Friday.

F. E. Randall of Rumford was in town Saturday.

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HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW?

Questions

1. What is the source of chocolate?

2. Name four kinds of sentences.

3. What is the birthstone of April?

4. Who was the bachelor president?

5. Who is the president of Germany?

6. "Pilgrim's Progress" was written by whom?

7. When was the first telegraphic message sent?

8. Who was the first king of Israel?

9. What country is known as the land of chrysanthemums?

10. Which is correct, all right or alright?

Answers to Last Week's Questions

1. The average normal body contains about one-twentieth of the body weight.

2. Period, comma, semi-colon, colon, interrogation, exclamation, quotation.

3. Ancient, Jasper; modern, blood-stone.

4. The Boston Tea Party.

5. Greta Garbo.

6. William Cullen Bryant.

7. Benjamin Franklin.

8. Genesis 3:16.

9. Aral (sea) Lake in Asia, 26,238 square miles.

10. Ante means before; anti is contrary to, as "in ante-suffrage days, the anti-suffragists were active."

ALBANY

Lewis Paine and family from Mechanic Falls spent the week end and holiday at his camp in this place.

Fred Scribner with a crew of men were cutting bushes on the road in this vicinity the past week.

Mrs. Ella Tilton and daughter Annie of Mechanic Falls spent Wednesday with Emma and Susie Flint.

A. E. Leighton was in Norway Tuesday on business.

Leon Paine and friends attended the dance at North Waterford Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Rounds spent the week end at their summer camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Paine and son Leon of Mechanic Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Hadley and daughters, Geraldine and Helena, of Brunswick spent Monday at Preston Flint's.

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A FEW MOMENTS
WITH THE POETS

DADDY KNOWS

By J. W. Foley
Let us dry our tears now, liddle,
Let us put aside our woe;
Let us go and talk to daddy,
For I'm sure that daddy knows.
Let us take him what we're broken,
He'll heart or hope or toy,
And the tale may be unspoken,
For he used to be a boy.He has been through all the sorrow
Of a lad at play or war;
He has seen the dawn of sorrow,
When the sun shone bright again;
His own heart has been near breaking,
Oh, more times than I can tell,
And has often known the aching
That a boy's heart knows so well.I am sure he well remembers,
In his calendar of days,
When the heart was December's
Though the sun and flowers were
May's.
He has lived a boy's life, liddle,
And he knows how it goes;
Let us go and talk to daddy,
For I'm sure that daddy knows.Let us tell him all about it,
How the thing of it is there,
And I have not any doubt it
Will be easier to hear.
For he's trodden every byway,
He has fashioned every joy,
He has travelled every highway
In the wide world of a boy.He will not heed the worries
That his day may follow through,
For the great heart of him hurries
At the call of help from you.
He will help us mend the broken
Heart of ours or hope or toy,
And the tale may be unspoken—
For he used to be a boy.THE BOY AND HIS STOMACH
By Edgar A. Guest
What's the matter with you—ain't I
Always been your friend?
Ain't I been a partner to you? All my
pennies don't I spend?
In getting the things for you? Don't
I give you bits of cake?
Say, stomach, what's the matter, that
you don't like to eat?
Why, I loaded you with good things;
Yesterday I gave you more
Butter, and an' turkey then you'd
ever had before.
I gave you nuts and candy, pumpkin
pie and chocolate cake.
An' last night when I got a bed you
had to go to bed.Say, what's the matter with you—
ain't you satisfied at all?
I gave you all you wanted, you was
hard as I like a ball.
An' you couldn't hold another bit of
pudding, yet last night
You ached just awful, stomach,
that ain't treating me no better.I've been a friend to you, I have, why
ain't you a friend to mine?
They gave me candy all last night be-
cause you made me whine.
I'm awful sick this mornin' and I'm
feeling mighty blue.
Because you don't appreciate the
things I do for you.THE FIRE POOL
By A. G. Jackson
(With special reference to Rudyard Kipling)
A pool there was and he hums a match,
Even as you and I.
Carelessly down in a sun-dried patch,
Gliming on bed of a fire might catch
An' spread to the timber with quick
dispatch,
Even as you and I.The land passed on with wandering
folk,
Even as you and I.
He couldn't explain the fire that took
The forest away, and dried the brook,
And left the region a place for folk,
He was a fool that's why.

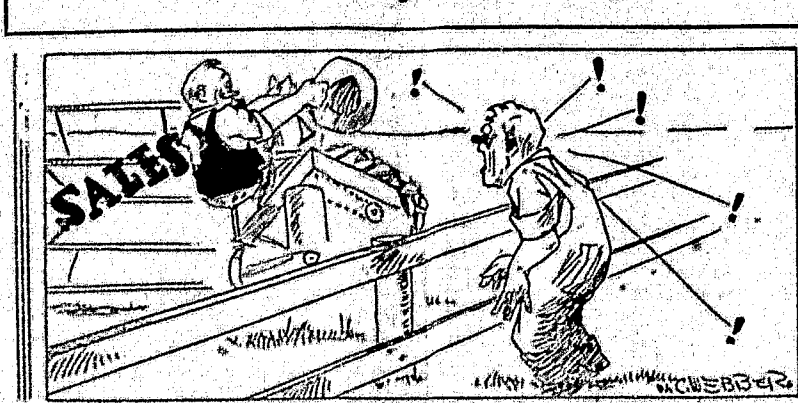
EAST BETHEL

Miss Eva Bartlett has returned from
her summer work and will have a
week's vacation at her home here be-
fore the commencing of her school
work at West Bethel.Mr. and Mrs. William Hastings and
family were in Cumberland Saturday
and Sunday.Mrs. W. G. Holt is ill at her home.
Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon Kimball were
in Wilton Sunday to meet Melton and
Donald Kimball, who have been spend-
ing a few days with their aunt, Mrs.
Frank Frost, of Kingsfield.Miss Martha Allen, Robert Allen,
and George Stokes of South Paris spent
Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon
Kimball. Mrs. Charlotte Peters, who
has been spending two weeks there,
returned to South Paris with them.Willard Farwell has been in Han-
over for a few days visiting Mr. and
Mrs. Richard Russell.DR. JOHN G. GEHRING
—Continued from Page One—Perhaps one secret of his success with
his patients was that he brought them
a sympathy and comprehension, born
of a common experience of pain.
He came here some forty years ago
a tall, slender young man, tanned by
the sun of Arizona and New Mexico
whither he had been in the quest of
health that had failed under the ex-
actions of his practice in Cleveland.
Some years after, an illness brought
him under the care of the late Dr.
Frederick Henry Gorlish of Portland,
who was very much interested in the
science then new, in America, of auto-
suggestion, as practised by famous
French physicians. Dr. Gehring was
so much benefited by the treatment
that he came home determined to be-
gin, by yet uncharted ways, the work,
which led to his phenomenally suc-
cessful career in the realms of Psychi-
atry, then in its infancy, and only re-
cently recognized as a most impor-
tant department of medical science.
Together with his devoted and brilli-
antly accomplished wife—always his
co-worker whose strongest desire
has ever been to foster and aid in
the development of her husband's
gifts, he began the unique experiment
in which he achieved remarkable re-
sults and which brought him a most
distinguished clientele. He gathered
all the things into the store-house. His
wife's versatile talents created the
brilliant social environment. She was
his inspiration.So near to this dominant note in his
life, there later came the devoted love
and still he held in hourly readiness
for one man, of whatever need of any
help he could bestow. The great pro-
fessional and affectionate core of his
heart was Mrs. Bingham II, whose
character, abilities and greatness of
soul as shown in the philanthropies
that have blessed this town, this state,
this country and European needs, have
been the passionate pride of Dr. Ge-
hring's life.With his natural love he made the
wisdom of the woods, the strength of
these hills, the life-giving touch of
the soil, his adjuncts.In a presentation copy of his book,
"The Hope of the Variant," are in-
scribed these words—"To my dear
friends and neighbors who for twenty-
five years have seen this book put in-
to practice." Looking back, one real-
ized that an unprecedented chapter
those years form in the annals of a
country village. Dr. and Mrs. Ge-
hring have always delighted to share
their opportunities, and unnumbered
privileges and pleasures have come to
friends through their gracious hospi-
tality.Unmeasurable is the debt which suc-
cessive groups of young people owe
to the favors so generously bestowed.
Even as these inadequate words are
written, a member of the Tennis Club
of Dr. Farnsworth's boyhood days,
comes. She says "I never can forget
how kind, how courteous, how consid-
erate Dr. Gehring always was to us
young people when we used to go there."That relaxation has always come to
him most through his fortunate avoca-
tion, the study of entomology. In
which he attained wide knowledge,
which brought him the friendship of
many scientists. Its pursuit led him
far afield and made every country
walk or drive, dull to folk of untrained
perception, to him alive with interest.It is grateful in this day of boozing
standards to recall how Dr. Ge-
hring has always stood for the digni-
fied, the decorous, the serene, in so-
cial intercourse. It was a brave per-
son who would have ventured to trans-
gress the rules of conduct which he
instinctively maintained for himself,
and for those about him. His love of
fun, the whimsical way in which his
wit played about, and enlivened, the
happenings of daily life, never occa-
sioned in the slightest degree any
lowering of his habitual dignity. Some-
times he seemed remote, inaccessible,
but once within the barriers of a
strong, natural reserve, one never
failed to yield to the charm of a mag-
netic personality.During these years of partial lei-
sure he has kept closely in touch with
advancement in Psychiatry and has
advanced in its development through
the establishments of hospitals and
schools. Of late he has felt that he
had come into a wider comprehension
of mental, spiritual laws, which had
led to greater development in the pow-
er to lay hold upon them. Having
thus attained, he was, as ever, eager
to share, to teach, to heal, to aid un-
stable souls to attain serenity.Countless are those who today feel
that the world is for them an infinite-
ly poorer place now that he who has
been their "cup of strength" has gone
out of it.With him it must be well. Though
no longer a young, no longer even a
middle-aged man, he seemed to us to
have died in the very plenitude of his
powers. Death leaves him on the sum-
mit.Somewhere, surely, afar,
In the smacking labor house yard,
Of betel, he practised that strength,
Zealous, benevolent, firm.

You Have to Sow—



If You Expect to Reap

On Sunday afternoon, September
fourth a great concourse of people ga-
thered in the spacious rooms of the
Gehring home, that so often in days
that are gone had reflected the charm-
ing personality of its welcoming host.They came from near and far, came
with bowed spirits that they might do
reverence to the memory of this noble
man.Perhaps in the history of Bethel no
more distinguished group of people
was ever assembled.The noble form rested amid a pro-
fusion of beautiful flowers, mute
messengers of love for the departed
and of sympathy for the living.The death messenger seemed to
have caressed the features and to have
left upon them the look of eternal
youth.The service was conducted by the
Rev. L. A. Edwards, pastor of the
First Congregational Church, assisted
by Dr. Frank E. Hanson.In accordance with the wish of Mrs.
Gehring the friends, led by Mr. Ed-
wards, united in the Twenty-third
Psalm which had been repeated at
the last Roll Call of the Church in
response to the names of Dr. and Mrs.
Gehring, and upon this occasion seemed
a most fitting expression of the
love and friendship that pervaded the
assembly.Dr. Hanson then read with deep
feeling the hymn, "Looking Unto God,"
that for many years had been to Dr.
Gehring a constant source of comfort
and an expression of his soul's deepest
convictions, and also Tennyson's
"Crossing the Bar."The Scripture selections were taken
from the Book of Ecclesiastes, the
Proverbs and excerpts from the great
Comfort Chapter, the 14th of John.This was followed by the poem,
"The Wren Son of God." In deference
to the wish of the family no extended
words of eulogy were spoken. The
pastor, however, called attention to
the text from John's Gospel, the first
chapter and sixth verse, which reads,
"There was a man sent from God
whose name was John." Leaving the
friends gathered to witness the
striking parallel between that John
to whom the text refers, and this lat-
ter John, the beloved physician, the
pioneer, the path-finder, the way-pre-
parer in the field of his chosen pro-
fession.After the sorrowing friends had
mutely said "good bye," the funeral
cortege wended its way through the
little village that he, prompted by his
love of the beautiful and because of
his civic pride, had done so much to
beautify, that coming generations will
more and more appreciate.The body was laid to rest in the
place which he had made beautiful by
his rare artistic sense.The beautiful Greek Stele, set-
tled and carved by his friend, Daniel
French, the famous sculptor, bears
the ancient symbol of immortality, the
butterfly, and stands to mark a spot
that to many will ever seem Holy
Ground.The last rites at the grave were said
by the pastor, using the following sim-
ple commitment."Forasmuch as it hath pleased Al-
mighty God to remove from the sphere
of this life the soul of our dear friend
brother: We therefore commit his
body to the grave; earth to earth,
ashes to ashes, dust to dust; in the
full hope of the endless life the truth
concerning which has been revealed
to us through the Gospel of our Lord
and Savior Jesus Christ; 'And with
Thee we leave Him.'"It was with saddened hearts, yet
with spirits enriched by the memory
of a beautiful life that we turned away
to take up the tasks he laid down,
with the prayer upon our lips that his
mantle might fall upon each of us.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Great and wonderful are the mys-
teries of God. The miraculous pheno-
mena presented to our view Aug. 31
shows us that God holds all men's
destiny in his hand.Mrs. Velma Davis, after an absence
of six weeks in quest of rest for tired
nerves and body, returned to her home
at the Davis homestead much benefit-
ed.A. M. Andrews has been entertain-
ing his granddaughters, Misses Ger-
trude and Muriel Titus of South Paris,
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land.

STATE OF MAINE.

To all persons interested in either of
the Estates hereinafter named:
At a Probate Court, held at Rum-
ford in and for the County of Oxford,
on the fourth Tuesday at August, in
the year of our Lord one thousand
nine hundred and thirty-two. The fol-
lowing matters having been presented
for the action thereupon hereinafter
indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:That notice thereof be given to all
persons interested, by causing a copy
of this order to be published three
weeks successively in the Oxford
County Citizen a newspaper published
at Bethel, in said County, that they
may appear at a Probate Court to be
held at Paris, on the third Tues-
day of September, A. D. 1932, at 9
of the clock in the forenoon, and be
heard thereon if they see cause.Maud A. Becker, late of Bethel, de-
ceased; petition that Mabel N. Beck-
ler or some other suitable person be
appointed administratrix of the estate
of said deceased, presented by Walter
T. Becker, brother and heir.Hersey Fernald, late of Bethel, de-
ceased; fifth account presented for al-
lowance by Ellory T. Park, treasurer
of Charles T. Fernald, late of Hanover,
deceased; petition that Alton F. Bar-
lett be appointed administrator de
bonis non with the will annexed of
the estate of said deceased, presented
by said Alton F. Bartlett, son and heir-
at-law; appointment to be made without
bond.Howard F. Thurston, late of Bethel,
deceased; first account presented for
allowance by Tona M. Thurston, ex-
ecutrix.Alpha T. Powers, late of Hanover,
deceased; petition for order to distri-
bute balance of estate in her hands,
presented by Leona A. Powers, ex-
ecutrix.Howard F. Thurston, late of Bethel,
deceased; petition for determination
of inheritance tax, presented by Tona
M. Thurston, executrix.Witness, Henry H. Hastings Judge
of said Court at Rumford, this 23rd
day of August in the year of our Lord
one thousand nine hundred and thirty-
two.

ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

ROAD BUILDING TO
GIVE WORK TO IDLEEmergency Relief Act Pro-
vides Highway Funds.Washington.—The emergency relief
and construction act recently signed
by President Hoover insures some
measure of early unemployment relief
through road construction, declared T.
H. Cutler, president of the American
Road Builders' association, in discuss-
ing road building activities."While the \$130,000,000 appropri-
ation for highways is only a small part
of the \$2,122,000,000 relief measure, it
is probable that road building will be
the first work undertaken," stated Mr.
Cutler. "Many states have plans
ready so that a number of the projects
can be begun immediately."The highway funds provided in the
total of \$130,000,000 are: \$120,000,000
for emergency construction on the fed-
eral aid highway system; \$5,000,000
for national forest highways; \$5,000,000
for improvements of national park
roads; and \$5,000,000 for roads through
public lands.

States May Borrow.

In addition to the direct highway
appropriation, \$300,000,000 is made
available for relief and work relief,
including highway and street work.
This money will be loaned to states,
counties and cities by the reconstruc-
tion finance corporation on request of
governors of states. Since highway
and street work is a popular and effec-
tive method of providing immediate
work relief, a considerable part of
this money may be requested by mu-
nicipalities and counties, Mr. Cutler
believes."With a beginning in meeting unem-
ployment conditions can be made with
the funds available," declared Mr. Cut-
ler, "but such relief will be widely
distributed throughout the country.
The provision permitting cities to use
the relief funds for street work, and
the fact that the relief funds do not
have to be matched with local money
assures considerable municipal high-
way work. Restrictions as to the
amount of federal participation per
mile also have been removed.Employment benefits will not be con-
fined to the workers on the roads di-
rectly but will extend to those working
in factories, plants and mines produc-
ing road equipment and materials and
also on transportation lines conveying
them to the construction sites."Because no part of the emergency
highway funds must be matched by
an equal amount from the states, reg-
ular state funds are released for new
projects. The emergency federal aid
money will be used in lieu of state
money to match regular federal aid in
a number of states. Additional new
work will be created through the re-
leasing of federal-aid allotments in
states that lack the necessary state
funds to cover regular federal-aid
projects."The emergency highway appropri-
ation will be distributed to the states
in accordance with the regular fed-
eral-aid requirements on the basis of
population, area and mileage of post
roads.

What States Will Get.

The amount of money each state
will receive, as computed for the con-
gressional hearings, is as follows:

Alabama	2,550,023
Arizona	1,762,626
Arkansas	2,031,431
California	1,892,711
Colorado	2,255,281
Connecticut	779,324
Delaware	604,009
Florida	1,429,293
Georgia	3,126,101
Idaho	1,668,485
Illinois	6,077,243
Indiana	2,000,262
Iowa	3,173,493
Kansas	2,276,334
Kentucky	2,229,048
Louisiana	1,540,109
Maine	1,707,600
Maryland	1,016,236
Massachusetts	1,712,774
Michigan	2,323,173
Minnesota	3,373,560
Mississippi	2,160,828
Missouri	2,761,014
Montana	2,725,108
Nebraska	2,627,683
Nevada	1,578,025
New Hampshire	600,620
New Jersey	2,658,124
New Mexico	1,952,440
New York	6,071,345
North Carolina	2,800,203
North Dakota	1,840,320
Ohio	4,261,069
Oklahoma	2,820,101
Oregon	1,509,118
Pennsylvania	5,581,022
Rhode Island	600,600
South Carolina	1,469,432
South Dakota	2,052,016
Tennessee	2,607,727
Texas	5,608,621
Utah	1,247,190
Vermont	750,600
Virginia	2,256,190
Washington	1,905,827
West Virginia	1,816,729
Wisconsin	3,022,418
Wyoming	1,576,811
Hawaii	600,000
Total	\$130,000,000

"As a result of the enactment of the
relief bill, federal aid participation in
a highway building is maintained on a
par with 1931, and material and imme-
diate assistance to the unemployed
will be given," Mr. Cutler concluded.Fisherman Captures
Sunfish With 2 MouthsPort Jervis, N. Y.—George Lutten-
burg caught a two-mouth sunfish the
other day while fishing in the Never-
sink. And to prove this is no fish
story he has deposited the freak in a
pail of water where skeptical persons
may see for themselves.The fish's mouths open and shut al-
ternately. One mouth may grab for
a morsel of food while the other re-
mains inactive.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

ITEMS FROM THE BETHEL NEWS
OF SEPTEMBER 10, 1902All aboard for the fair grounds.
Jury men for the October term
court have been drawn as follows:
grand, N. F. Brown; traverse, W. E.
Morrow and Wm. L. Chapman.There will be a hearing before the
County Commissioners at Odeon Hall
Friday, September 12, at nine o'clock
in the forenoon, on the petition for
the discontinuance of the road in
out around Capen Hill.West Bethel.—Jack Frost placed
mark on all tender plants Saturday
morning.East Bethel.—Mr. H. E. Bartlett
just finished burning a large kiln
brick.Hanover.—While Mr. S. W. Holt was
fishing on Howard Pond, Tuesday af-
ternoon, he was stricken with par-
alysis. He was brought to his home
in the village Wednesday morn-
ing, where he passed away at noon
Saturday.Gorham, N. H.—The Berlin Mill
Co. has begun to clear the land at
Cascades, preparatory to develop-
ing their immense water power at the
point. It is reported that the com-
pany will expend upwards of two mil-
lions in developing and in building
mills.

GROVER HILL

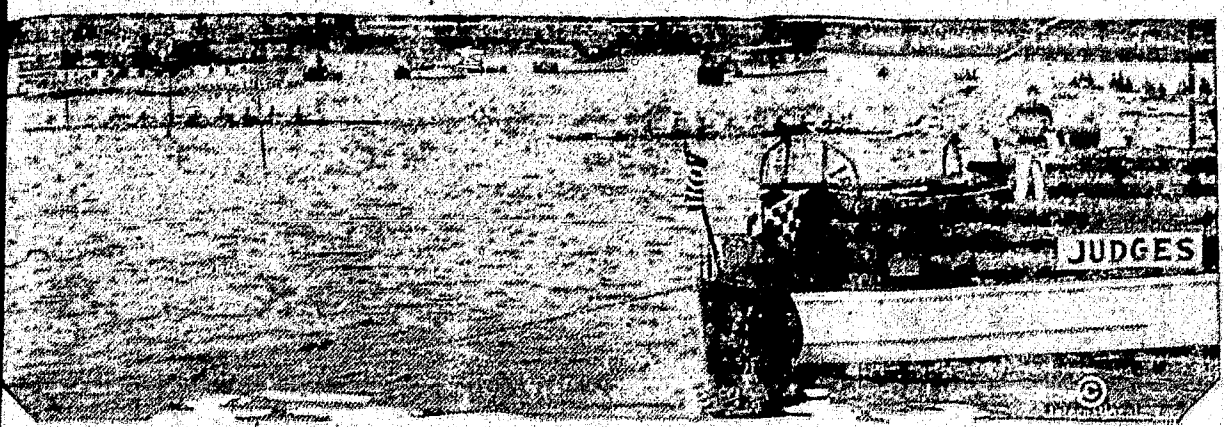
Mrs. Lillian V. Whitman and daugh-
ter Dorothy from Medford, Mass., were
guests from Boston are spending the
week at their camp here.Mr. and Mrs. James Goodrich and
daughter Lois of Portsmouth were
week end and holiday guests at Cliff
Whitman's.Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnard of Bel-
lows Falls, Vt., are being entertained
at M. P. Tyler's. M. A. Jordan and
family of Mechanic Falls were re-
cent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tyler.Mr. and Mrs. John Trefethen and
son of Portsmouth and Mr. and Mrs.
Jack Hardy and family of Brook-
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Ground.After the sorrowing friends had
mutely said "good bye," the funeral
cortege wended its way through the
little village that he, prompted by his
love of the beautiful and because of
his civic pride, had done so much to
beautify, that coming generations will
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by the pastor, using the following sim-
ple commitment."Forasmuch as it hath pleased Al-
mighty God to remove from the sphere
of this life the soul of our dear friend
brother: We therefore commit his
body to the grave; earth to earth,
ashes to ashes, dust to dust; in the
full hope of the endless life the truth
concerning which has been revealed
to us through the Gospel of our Lord
and Savior Jesus Christ; 'And with
Thee we leave Him.'"It was with saddened hearts, yet
with spirits enriched by the memory
of a beautiful life that we turned away
to take up the tasks he laid down,
with the prayer upon our lips that his
mantle might fall upon each of us.Somewhere, surely, afar,
In the smacking labor house yard,
Of betel, he practised that strength,
Zealous, benevolent, firm.Your Future is Brighter
Problems are Lighter
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Harvard Oarsmen Defeating Yale's Crew



The Harvard junior varsity crew is here shown stroking across the finish line to win from the Yale oarsmen in the event in the Harvard-Yale regatta on the Thames river at New London.

Ark Valley, Woodstock

Where skies are always blue
And the birds will sing forever
Oh! may we be there too.
Shall we picnic among the mountains
Where roses never fade?
Shall we fit like blocks of friendship
In the spread we've earthly made?
Maybelle Hope Appleby
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hutchins of
Portland called to see their father,
W. L. Johnson, Saturday.
Maynard Fleming of South Lancaster,
Mass., is a guest at A. R. Hendrickson's.
Everard Harlow and family visited
at Nelson Perham's Saturday.
Clarence Perham and wife, and Phon
Brown and family were callers at
Nelson Perham's Sunday.
Joe Roberts visited his niece in
Lewiston Sunday.
Maud Benson has finished work at
Ed Mann's and has returned home.

MASON

E. Laurence Grover and family re-
turned to their home at Hallfax, Mass.,
Friday, after spending a week at their
camp.
Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bailey from
North Scituate, Mass., who have been
spending a few days at Grover's camp,
went to North Bridgton Sunday to
visit relatives a few days before re-
turning home.
Miss Verna Grover is working for
Mrs. Ruby Davis for a few days.
John Deegan threshed E. C. Smith's
oats recently. Mr. Smith had about
470 bushels. Eli Grover also had a
small lot threshed.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Robinson from
Bryant Pond were at J. A. McKenzie's
Sunday.
Monday a party consisting of Mr.
and Mrs. John Silver and son and Mr.
and Mrs. Verne Mills and son from
Gorham, Me., Mr. and Mrs. Zenas
Mills, Clayton and Lee Mills of Al-
bany, and James Mundt and Miss Ber-
tha Mundt, Bethel, spent the day at
Mr. Silver's place here which he re-
cently purchased of Mrs. George Clay.
The men built a garage and all en-
joyed a beautiful picnic dinner.
School opened Tuesday, Sept. 6,
with Miss Mary Martin of Greenwood,
teacher.
Wallace Libby from East Limington
delivered a truck load of lumber for
John Silver Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McKenzie were at
William McKenzie's, Gilead, Mon-
day.

UPTON

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Douglass are
away on a vacation. Their son How-
ard is running the store in their ab-
sence.
The 4-H Club boys and girls, with
their leaders, R. S. Irons and Mrs.
Betha Judkins, and Mrs. Lena Jud-
kins as chauffeur for the girls, motored
to West Harpswell Thursday of
last week.
Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Judkins, their
two youngest children and oldest son
Fred were in Upton one day last week.
Leslie Fuller, Jr., broke his arm
and collar bone about two weeks ago,
but his parents did not discover it
until about a week later. Then they
took him to Bethel where Dr. Tibbets
set the broken bones.
Fred Judkins, one of the four boys
from Oxford County to go from 4-H
Clubs, is attending State Camp on the
fair grounds at Lewiston this week.
The summer residents of Upton,
who have not already returned to their
homes, are nearly all leaving this week
end.

NORTH NEWRY

Schools in town opened Tuesday
morning with new teachers at the
Head of the Tide and Powers schools.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ferron, Mr. and
Mrs. L. E. Wight, Daniel and Eliza-
beth Wight and Mr. Ferren went to
Kennebunkport and spent Sunday with
Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Wildes of that
place.
Mrs. W. R. Spinney of Bethel was in
town Tuesday night.
Albert Morton and Junior Vail came
home from New Hampshire this week.
Carrie Wight was in Upton one day
last week.
Earle Wildes of Kennebunkport, who
has spent several weeks here, the
guest of Daniel Wight, returned home
Saturday.
Several from this place attended
the church services at Upton Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kilgore are en-
tertaining company from Massachu-
setts.
Mrs. A. C. Littlehale of Errol, N. H.,
was in Newry Tuesday to attend the
meeting of Oxford Pomona Grange at
Newry Corner.
Don't forget the dance at Newry
Corner, Friday evening, Sept. 9, with
the Melody Boys of Andover furnishing
music. Prices are right, also prize
dances.

FOREIGN NATIONS
WATCHED BY SPIESFear and Distrust Cause of
Wholesale Espionage.

Washington.—Although the United
States abolished its cryptical bureau
in Washington three years ago, doing
away with the practice of prying into
the secrets of foreign governments,
there is every reason to believe that
other countries are not so scrupulous
about the secrets of this land and
that spies are growing thicker than
ever through the capitals of the world.
The reason for the change of interna-
tional spying, it is said, is the pre-
valent state of fear and distrust. Na-
tions are afraid of war—afraid of be-
ing attacked—and are trying to be
forewarned by being forewarned.
The beautiful Matt Hart, executed
just outside the walls of Paris and
dramatized in American movies, has
been a part of many times over at
this moment in this country, in Eu-
rope and in the Far East.

Miss Thelma Matwieska, one of the
most famous dancers in the theaters and
clubs of Poland, has just been sen-
tenced to life imprisonment for espionage
against her own country, and her
two accomplices, a former army officer
and another government official, were
shot.
Miss de Little, a spy in the employ
of Poland, has just bought her own
life back from Hungary by unearthing
a plot against that country, her
lover having tried first to kill her,
then having out his own brains when
he discovered her true character.

Miss de Little recently fired an entire
embassy staff in one of the principal
capitals of Europe because a clever
woman had succeeded in getting hold
of the Russian code book and selling
its contents to France and Yugoslavia.
Captain Nakamura, whose tragic
death was the excuse of Japan's war
against China, was, according to the
Chinese, merely a dangerous spy mas-
querading under the guise of a harm-
less "cholar" engaged in the study of
geography first hand in Chinese terri-
tory.

Texas Woman Sheriff
Second "Carrie Nation"

Houston, Texas.—Mrs. Lela May
Speer, self-styled "Carrie Nation of
Walker county," claims she is the only
"sheriff" in Texas who does not wear a
badge.
Mrs. Speer, mother of three children,
has been sheriff since last February by
appointment of the county commis-
sioners after her husband had been
convicted of taking excess fees.
Though indolent, she is definitely
no quaker. She carries a .45 auto-
matic pistol and says she would not
be late to use it.
She hates bootleggers worse than
any other law violators and has made
a hobby of raiding stills and speak-
eries.

On a recent raid, she had a
several 14 gallons of whiskey and sev-
eral hundred bottles of beer.

Cuba Decorates Its Tile
With National Heroes

Havana.—Spanish and Cuban heroes
of history and fiction are being made
to live again in a new medium as
Cuba's rapidly developing industry, the
manufacture of glazed tile, is per-
fected.
Builders in the New world, who for
centuries turned to the old country for
the tiles that are such an integral
part of the intricate architecture of
the Spanish Americas, now look to
their own artists. Eleven small fac-
tories in Havana are developing a
guild of craftsmen.
The exploits of Christopher Colum-
bus on his voyage of discovery to the
New world are one of the most popu-
lar themes for portrayal by Cuban
tile makers.

Mud of North Sea Used
in Treatment of Sick

Wilhelmshaven.—Employment of
mud from the bottom of the Jade bay
of the North sea for the treatment of
rheumatism, gout, ischias, neuritis
and kindred diseases, which was initi-
ated in a modest way a few years
ago, has proved so successful that the
number of patients who seek relief is
increasing. Specialists have established
the presence in this mud of all natu-
rally important healing substances,
such as carbonate of lime, cal-
cium phosphate and other salts.

Strangled by Swing
Young woman.—When a clothes
line on which she was swinging be-
came entangled about her neck, four-
year-old Lillian Miller strangled to
death.

Boys Switch Homes;
Mixed Up as Babies

Gloucester, Germany.—Heath
Guthrie, twelve, picked his birth-
ing, left the house he was born in
since his birth, and went over to
the home of Frau Marie Dohr.
Wilhelm Dohr, also twelve, went
through the same procedure and
will live at the home of Frau Ma-
tilda Roth.

The two boys, born on the same
day twelve years ago in a sister-
city here, were exchanged
by their mothers after the war.
Medical and scientific and a court
of law had upheld the fact of
Frau Dohr that the child had in-
advertently exchanged the boys at
birth.

Middle Intervale, Bethel

Miss Marjorie Bessie and two broth-
ers, Jack and Richard, of Marblehead,
Mass., were visitors at Mrs. Fannie
Carter's Saturday.
Paul Carter took a trip to Pine
Point Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Green, who have
been spending the past two weeks at
their camp, returned to their home in
Natick, R. I., Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Ruth Farwell and two children
spent Sunday at Stephen Abbott's.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Ward and
daughter and Mrs. Susan Capen were
in Portland and Pine Point Monday.

Mrs. Ward will remain for a short
time.

Archie and Ernest Buck and son
Mervin, Romeo Smith, Morris Vail,
Robert Swan and Richard Stevens
camped on Mt. Speck Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Green, Mrs.
Leona Stevens, Mrs. Grace Buck, Mrs.
Fannie Carter and son Paul, Mrs.
Blanche Trask, Mrs. Leslie Carter and
two children, Mrs. Willis Ward, Mrs.
Susan Capen and Mrs. Robert Sanborn
and son Harry attended the Farm Bu-
reau picnic at Locke's Pond Thurs-
day.

Miss Minnie Capen, Mrs. Fannie
Carter and E. M. Walker were supper
guests of Mrs. Irene Foster last Wed-
nesday.

Mrs. Irene Foster, who has been
spending the summer months at her
cottage returned to Boston Tuesday.

*Forgotten
Heroes*
By Elmo
Scott
Watson

Printer and Patriot

In the annals of colonial journalism,
the one outstanding figure is that of
Benjamin Franklin who, however, soon
deserted the print shop for the larger
sphere of world affairs. Every Amer-
ican knows the name of Franklin, but
how many of them know that of an
other printer and the part he played
in the cause of American freedom—
about old Alexander MacDougall?

MacDougall started life as a sailor
then took to the shore and the trade
of a printer in New York. When the
trouble with the British government
over the stamp tax began in 1765,
he helped organize the Sons of Liberty
to resist oppression by the Mother
Country and soon became one of the
leaders in the movement. He again
rose to prominence in 1789 when the
New York provincial assembly, which
was predominantly Tory, passed a
series of oppressive laws.

The morning New York city was
up to his ears covered with hard
hills, demanding the legislature for
these laws and calling for a mass
meeting to protest. At the meeting
resolutions which blistered the Tory
legislature and secured the rights of the
citizens were adopted. So the legis-
lature formally proclaimed the hard
bill as null and void and started a search
for its author. The man who pointed
it out as null and void was the author
of the laws.

Immediately he was hailed into court
on a charge of sedition and where he
defied the authorities, who threatened
him with jail. This not only
confounded upon him the indignation of
his fellow men but also the indignation
of the British people. They paraded in
front of the jail, sang hymns under
the windows, and in general they made
him the man of the hour. The au-
thorities whose stupidity had not al-
lowed them to foresee that putting
MacDougall into jail would result in
a patriotic martyrdom, were soon
of an expense to let him out.

At the outbreak of the Revolution
he raised a body of troops, was made
commander of it and developed as an
expected genius for military affairs.
He superintended the removal of
Washington's army to the mountains
after the disastrous Battle of Long
Island and later, the army of the
various other war years. He was
in the charge of the evacuation of
New York after September 26, 1783,
and as a spy and he had to be
lucky in getting out of the city.

Albany—Waterford

Three sets of buildings were burned
last Saturday afternoon at Lynchville
in the town of Albany. The fire start-
ed at the "White Owl" which is owned
by W. A. Hobson and occupied by
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hobson, who were
away at the time, also the homes of
Bertrand Kugg, Mrs. Flora McKee
and Perry Raimy were consumed by
fire before the fire department from
Norway arrived.

The Waterford schools opened Tues-
day, Sept. 6th, on which date a teach-
ers' meeting was held at the "Flat"
schoolhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Abbott will oc-
cupy the rent of F. R. Littlefield while
he is foreman of the State Highway
job in Albany. It is expected work
will commence soon.

Rev. Joel Hayden and family, who
have been summering at their "Far-
Away-Farm" in Stoneham, left Sun-
day for their home in Cleveland, Ohio.

Fred Staples of Oxford was at W. A.
Lord's recently with a load of cows
and hogs which he had sold him.

Theodore Brown and Ivan Kimball
are cutting rock maple which is trucked
to Lewiston for boot heels. A good
price per cord for clear timber.

Isabelle Reid of Lewiston is teach-
ing at North Waterford and boarding
at Walter Lord's. June Brown is teach-
ing at the same place and boards with
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest
Brown.

Elmer Saunders is visiting his ne-
phew, Ernest Paine, at Albany.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Paine and fam-
ily, Elmer Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. W.
L. McAllister and family, Mrs. Edwin
Cummings, and June and Jack Pen-
nold, were Sunday callers at Ernest
Brown's.

M. N. Savin has a good crop of pears
which he is selling for \$1.50 per bu-
shel.

W. G. Fisk and Ernest Brown have
been doing some fall seedling.

There seems to be an average crop
of apples in this section.

Ray Langway enjoyed a visit from
his parents and brother of Dodge,
Mass., over the week end and holiday.

NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cole and son,
Monroe, of South Weymouth, Mass.,
have been recent visitors of his brother,
Francis Cole and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Foster and fam-
ily of Bethel were Sunday visitors
with George Abbott and family.

Mr. John Houghway has returned
home after visiting relatives at Lewiston
the past week.

Walter Roca is sick.
Harland Abbott visited Howard
South at West Paris a few days last
week.

Helen Truisty has been visiting
relatives in this vicinity the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Newell and
family entertained on Sunday, rela-
tives from Bethel.

Several children attended the school
meeting at West Paris Monday after-
noon.

Several from here on Tuesday with
the Little Day of West Paris at the
school.

A. A. Herbert and Mrs. Littlehale of
Bethel called at Francis Cole's one
afternoon last week.

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and stage affairs will be seen including the dainty and highly skilled members of the Pavlov-Oukrainy ballet
featuring the nightly super-fireworks spectacle "March On, America," a Washington bi-centennial production.

YEARS AGO

THE BETHEL NEWS
SEPTEMBER 10, 1902

for the fair grounds.
for the October term
been drawn as follows:
Brown; traverse, W. B.
Wm. L. Chapman.

be a hearing before the
sessions at Odeon Hall
number 12, at nine o'clock
on, on the petition for
vacance of the road in
Chapman Hill.

—Jack Frost placed his
tender plants Saturday

Mr. H. E. Bartlett

burning a large kiln
While Mr. S. W. Holt was
ward Pond, Tuesday
was stricken with par-
He was brought to the
village Wednesday morn-
e passed away at noon

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OVER HILL

V. Whitman and daug-
from Medford, Mass., was
Boston are spending the
camp here.

Mrs. James Goodrich is
of Portsmouth was at
holiday guests at Cliff

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Michigan Today



Michigan Makes a Major Part of the World's Air Rifles.

Michigan is not content to make only toys. Lansing normally has 15,000 hands engaged in industries, mainly the automotive or auxiliary thereto, producing an annual output valued at \$185,000,000. Though Lansing's forests have long since yielded to the spacious avenue radiating from her lawn-surrounded state house, and though the cry for reforesting the state is widespread, the capital and her sister cities rank among the country's most beautifully tree-shaded communities. Sometimes appearing as if buried in greenery, and for the most part displaying regularly spaced maples along foliage-roofed streets, Michigan's towns thus preserve a souvenir of the great logging area of their state.

Michigan's "forest princess" lay with pine and softwoods mainly to the north of 43rd parallel of latitude, and with the hardwoods mainly to the south of it. A century ago her area was still 97 per cent timbered.

In the expansion period that followed the Civil war the state looked up as the great pine producer. Eastern farmers turned pioneer and trekked Michiganward for their fractional investment in the 125,000,000, 600 feet of timber that rose north of Saginaw. The prairie states were calling for timber, and Michigan's was massed in big stands with easy river access to the Great Lakes.

Approaching the city by lake steamers one beholds a striking panorama. The Canadian side shows many miles of green meadows, while the American side reveals a gradually intensifying spectacle of mammoth cranes, towering stacks, vast factories—all of the state's bewildering panoply.

Yet the motorcar, bulk disproporportionately on Detroit's skyline, it should be remembered that the city's 3,600 manufacturing plants include lines that fall into the million-dollar class of productivity. In fact, ever since the days when Detroit was the first gold mine, ran the first refrigerator cars and built among the first of sleeping cars and, tradition adds, mixed the first beer, the Michigan metropolis has been a place of diversified manufacture.

Detroit's Remarkable Growth. Her growth, measured in terms of population, has increased more than 50 per cent during this century. In fact her present roll of industrial activities surpasses by more than 60 per cent the total population of 1900. Within the past ten years the old city cloud has taken its place in the state's electric and apartment hotels and hotel skyscrapers cannot be added fast enough to keep pace with her growth. In fact, Detroit's rapid growth in physical size justifies the claim that she is the most remarkable of clean cities. "Wrecked buildings are torn up like old houses."

One turns gratefully from Detroit's one-choked thoroughfares into that perfect retreat of all her 3,000 acres of park space—Belle Isle. In trading barrels of rum, three rolls of fabric and six pounds of wallpaper the Indian-owned Belle Isle, the city's forefathers achieved something not to be expressed by its present valuation of many millions of dollars; for Belle Isle park is at once the work of a restful Avalon, treasure-hunting childhood's pirate lair, and every one's enchanted island, with song-birds as angels and caged bears as Callibans.

What more intriguing than a wooded island park, canalized for canoeing, dotted with picnicers' stoves, and fitted by a symphony orchestra—this is the edge of a great industrial city? Pontiac, a town founded in the early years, leaped into the general expansion frenzy by taking out the state's first railroad charter in 1830.

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SMITH REUNION

The annual reunion of the Jonathan B. and Triphena Wines Smith family was held at the home of Fred Howard, Sunday, September 4th.

The forenoon was spent in exchanging greetings. A picnic lunch was enjoyed on the lawn at noon followed by a business meeting. The following officers were elected:

President—Frederic B. Smith, Augusta.

Vice President—Mrs. Edna Smith, Newry.

Secretary and Treasurer—Mrs. Alice D. Coffin, East Sumner.

Mrs. Earl Davis, Bethel; Mrs. Everett Smith, Turner Center; Mrs. Duncan McPherson, Newry; and Mrs. Ralph Lovell, Rumford Falls were chosen program committee for next year. It was voted to accept the invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Smith of Turner Center to meet with them next year at their cottage, Beal's Pond, Turner Center, August 26, 1933.

After the business meeting the following program was given:

Smith's Orchestra
Josephine Smith

Saxophone solo,

Recitation,
Piano Solo,
Recitation,
Hymn,
Dance,
Chorus by all, "God be with you 'till we meet again."

Miss Pauline Mary Enman was the youngest member present and Mrs. Martha E. Martin the oldest.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Frederic B. Smith, Mrs. Caroline B. Lovejoy, Augusta; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Smith, Mrs. Addie A. Smith, Stanley Smith, Elaine Smith, Alden Smith, Lawrence Smith, Turner Center; Mrs. Martha E. Martin, Mrs. Alice D. Coffin, Clarence M. Coffin, East Sumner; Miss Louie Peabody, West Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Enman, Presque Isle; Mr. and Mrs. Leon E. Enman, June Enman, Naomi Enman, Pauline Enman, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis, Virginia Davis, Stanley Davis, Jerrold Davis, Fred Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Howard, Bethel; Mrs. Marion N. McFarland, Portland; Mrs. Edna Smith, Josephine Smith, Carlos Smith, Hazel Smith, Mrs. Duncan McPherson, Newry.

MILTON

Several men from this part of the town are working at East Milton on the road.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Duke and daughter of Philadelphia have been visiting at Clarence Jackson's for a few days.

Harland Buck was at Dr. Kay's one day last week for the removal of his tonsils.

Earl Buck is at work on the Pettin-gal farm at Rumford during harvest.

Freeman Morse of South Paris and his family were at their home here on Sunday.

Urban Buck has gone to Paris Hill to work.

Miss Mildred Soule of Rumford has been visiting with Clarence Jackson. The Soap Club will meet with Olive Buber Saturday afternoon.

Bradley Stevens is staying with his son, Joe Stevens, and picking blackberries.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ackley have gone to Bridgton for two weeks to stay with her daughter, Florence Merrill.

School Days

Why not start your child off to school with a checking account? In this way you will be able to keep track of expenses and money spent.

\$50 starts an account.

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For Sale

FOR SALE—Fitted Hard Wood, \$19.00. Stairs and edgings, \$5.00. Free good trades in second hand cars. YEAT BEAN, Bethel.

FOR SALE—Tables, hall tree, kitchen cabinet, chairs, chests of drawers, bureau, beds, garden tools, clothes, etc. L. H. Wight Estate, Bethel.

FOR SALE—\$100 Easy Electric Washing Machine, in good condition. \$20.00. Second hand battery operated radio sets, \$5.00 up. Radio batteries and tubes. E. P. LYON, Bethel.

FOR SALE—Chairs, driving harness, poles and whiffles, garden tools and lawn roller. L. H. Wight Estate.

Miscellaneous

WANTED—Work of any kind by day or hour washings to do, and children to care for, days for evenings. Mabel F. Blake, Tel. 23-5.

WANTED—Your ashes and muck. To haul away in my truck. (I'm in Bethel three days of the week) If to me you'll kindly speak. ROGER "PETE" CLOUGH, (223) Dealer in Ice

TO RENT—Two car garage. I. H. Wight Estate, Bethel.

I will serve meals and deliver home cooked food. Mrs. Wallace Clark, Mason Street, Phone 52-4.

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RUG AND KNITTING YARN For Sale by Manufacturer; samples free. H. A. BARTLETT, Harmony, Maine.

PEARS FOR SALE—Suitable for canning or eating. Laurence Lord, Telephone No. 27-3.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

BETHEL M. E. CHURCH
Rev. R. F. Datzel, Minister
3-45 Sunday School, Supt. Evans Wilson.

10-45 Morning Worship.
4-50 Epworth League.
7-30 Evening Worship.

7-30 Tuesday eve. Prayer service.
We are rapidly approaching the Fall Festival in the work of our Sunday School. In preparation of which we are having Mrs. Louise Perry, our director of Religious Education come to us for the week of Sept. 10-17. She will organize and conduct a teacher's training class. She will study the methods now used in the various departments and suggest where she thinks changes should be made. Miss Perry was formerly a missionary in Japan for years and during her stay here will present a missionary pageant with Mrs. Madeline Parlin assisting. This evening will be under the auspices of the W. F. M. S.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Service held at 10 o'clock
Sundays and Wednesdays at 10:45
Subject of the lesson sermon. Substantive.
Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7-30 p. m.

UNION CHURCH, 80, WOODSTOCK

Chapel Service in Union Church, 80, Woodstock, Thursday evening, Sept. 15 at 7-45, conducted by Pastor C. D. McKenney. Subject: "Salvation and Its Assurance." The Golden Links class of the Cooperative Baptist Church, Woodstock, are expected to sing their class song, "Other Gospel Hymns, etc." will be included in the program. The people of the community are hereby invited to attend. No collection. Everybody Welcome.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

L. A. Edwards, Pastor
10-45 Morning Worship

The Public Utilities Commission has given the Canadian National Railway permission to discontinue the use of automatic block signals until such time as increasing traffic shall again render their use necessary. The petition of the road to the Commission set out that the traffic of the road is so reduced that the block signal system is not necessary.

DUCE BOSS OF ALL ITALY BUT ONE MAN

Tells Mussolini What to Do; Makes Him Like It.

Rome.—Everybody in Italy takes orders from Premier Mussolini except one man. He tells Mussolini what to do—and makes him like it.

That man is Arturo Bocchini, director general of the Italian police. Bocchini is sixty. His gray hair and mild appearance make him seem like anything but the head of one of the most powerful secret police organizations in the world.

Bocchini assumed his present post in September, 1926, shortly after the anarchist, Lucetti, threw a bomb at Mussolini's automobile as it was passing through the Porta Pia. Because of his experience as prefect in Genoa and other Italian cities, Bocchini was called to take over the job of supervision of all police activities.

Got Carte Blanche.
As a condition to his acceptance, Bocchini demanded carte blanche powers to do what he thought best for the safety of Mussolini. His demands were accepted.

He started by giving Mussolini orders. First of all, he told him not to move publicly without informing the police in advance.

Second, the number of appearances at public ceremonies was to be restricted and few persons were to be received in audience.

Third, Mussolini must not use the train, but must travel everywhere by automobile.

Bocchini as his final command said Mussolini must not leave Italian territory.

During the past six years there have been many times when Mussolini, annoyed by the extreme precautions taken by his "guardian angel," chafed under the restrictions. But Bocchini's threats to resign always brought him back.

Has Efficient Force.

Bocchini has built up an efficient organization. It is divided into three sections of plainclothes agents. First is the "presidential squad" composed of about 1,500 men who have only one duty to watch out for the safety of the head of the government.

There is also a "political squad," scattered all over Italy. Its members ferret out subversive propaganda and report it to the police. Finally, there is the regular organization of detectives attached to police forces in the various cities of Italy.

British Landed Gentry Are Being "Dislanded"

London.—The landed gentry of Great Britain who are not that any more are to be officially recognized as the "dislanded gentry" in the special supplement to Burke's "Landed Gentry," which lists British aristocracy.

High taxation and death duties are responsible for the innovation, according to the editors of the publication. Formerly when a landowner sold his acres his name was automatically dropped from the register. But now, with one-third of the 2,500 names eligible for publication in 1921 falling to qualify, it was realized that it would be necessary to include them somehow or the book would be too small.

The new issue of "Landed Gentry," a list of 429 members of the "dislanded gentry" listed. The edition has been two years in preparation.

Bandages on Limbs of Senoritas Mean Much

Madrid, Sept. 6.—Bandages showing beneath the dressings of many Madrid senoritas may have the visitor to believe that some one here met with an unusually large number of injuries to their undergarments, but to the Spaniards it means something else.

About four years ago the senoritas of Madrid or at least many of the "decent" ones adopted a big wide white bandage which covers the entire arm at a place, according to the position of the bandage, whether they had a "nervous" or "asthmatic" attack.

Now this fad is being revived in Madrid, for the reason, according to some of the senoritas who use the bandage, that there exists a "malaria" crisis in this capital. That is, there are too few men in comparison to the women.

British Post Office Has "Dictionary" of Its Own

London.—An enterprising investigator has just discovered that the post office department here will let a customer send a telegram calling a man a "clump" or a "blockhead," but it is against the rules to call him a "fat head." In telegrams they will count "Stratford" as one word, but "Stratford-on-Avon" as three. Also for some reason, "quarters" is one word, but "quarters" is two.

Famed Guerrilla Chief's Rifle Owned by Ohioans

Willow Grove, Ohio.—An ancient battle rifle whose owner's name would have filled a good sized cemetery is owned by a group of Willow Grove citizens. Originally it was the property of General William Smith, Ohio guerrilla chieftain in Civil War days, who is traditionally claimed to have killed 100 men. The gun, weighing 125 pounds, was displayed during the Chicago World's Fair in 1893.

THE FINGER In and Around Bethel

Gordon E. Lathrop

Dr. (1) Curley's Victims

The fact that a strange woman could motor into Bethel, mule so many people of a fee in advance under the guise of being a chiropractor, and then skip without giving further treatments, has been the talk of the town for many a day. Everyone gives anyone a list of the victims and amounts collected from each, as someone heard from somebody who had been told by —etc. And every tale-bearer extracts a different, but particular name from that list, and says, "It certainly tickles me to think that... got stuck for all that money." Which, while not charitable, is human. But it is evident that such persons have never suffered from swollen and aching pedal extremities, have never felt the pain that works its way up through the body and makes a "splitting" headache. Don a pair of shoes three sizes too small. Imagine how great the pain would be if it were five times worse. Then you have a fair idea of the agony some of these victims suffered. Now use your imagination again and think what would you do if someone was introduced to you who offered to make that pain disappear. Wouldn't YOU have reached for YOUR pocket-book?

Feeding the Fishes
It seems to be the custom of certain and sundry persons to dispose of their garbage and refuse by casting the same into the Androscoggin River from the bridge on the Newry-Runford road. That net steel bridge that Bethel regards with such pride and poodles far and wide on postcards! A stranger, out for a stroll, is attracted to the down-stream side of the bridge by the gurgle and lapping of water as it careens over the rocks. And, looking straight down onto the supporting iron-work of the structure, what does he see? Corn cobs, beet greens, tomato cores; all in a state of decomposition part of an old shirt, a broken teacup and pieces of broken glass. Someone lacked the strength to dump their refuse clear of the bridge. Not only is it a disgrace to sight and olfactory nerves, but think how many little fish would be bigger fish if they had that garbage to eat!

The Poster Elm

Printers are egotists. They call their work ART and spell it in capital letters. But none of them have ever claimed that a poster would improve the looks of a tree. Still some of those who use posters evidently think they were meant for just that purpose. Regard the big elm on the corner at Main and Broad Streets. As a rule there are two or more posters of one sort or another attached thereto. Sometimes the trunk is plastered with them. And sometimes when there are none (that happens infrequently) stop and count the tacks imbedded in the bark. It seems anyone with the urge, a hammer and a box of tacks, steps up, says "Tree, have you had your iron today?" and puts in a few more. It is a healthy looking tree. Perhaps that iron does it good. Perhaps those that do their advertising there helped pay for the patch that was put in so the tree would stand as a monument to natural beauty. Perhaps—and perhaps not!

The Night Spirit

Since Kellogg, who owns the woodpile at the foot of Mill Hill, came into the office Friday morning to discover if there was any spite or animosity concealed in the fiddling of the paragraph printed in our last issue under the head "A Bad Corner for a Woodpile." Before he left he agreed that the woodpile might obstruct the view somewhat and declared that he would remove it at his first opportunity. That's the right spirit! Mr. Kellogg has got a kick about a corner so close to the office that it depends almost on his garden. You will hear more about it if investigation proves it to be an unsightly nuisance that Bethel people should be made aware of and correct.

Be Careful, Ladies!

This is the season of harvest. The corn is at its fullest and flumet. Man is not the only creature who knows it. Stripped Skunk has started odoriferous excursions into the village gardens. Mr. Skunk is very nonchalant about crossing streets and creeping houses on his way to the vegetable patch. So, be careful ladies. That may not be a cat you stoop to pat after dark.

LITTLE SAYS—

IF EVERYONE IN THIS SHOP HAD FIVE EYES AND SEVEN EARS, STILL WE COULDN'T HEAR 'N SEE ALL THAT GOES ON. WHICH IS WHY WE SHORE DO APPRECIATE NEWS WITH YOU FOLKS PHONE IN!



WITH THE WITS

Perfectly Suited
Lopher—How does Snigglefritz like his new typist?
Lazler—She's just his type.

Limit in Argument
Phillips—Argumentative, isn't he?
Brown—Rather! He even answers back to the wireless announcers.

That One, at Least
Jac—Do you advocate changes in spelling?
Jane—Only Miss to Mrs.

Rich Relatives Do That
"Your aunt's very rich. Does she enjoy good health?"
"Yes—glants over it."

Creature of Habit
New Prisoner—Oh, by the way, warder, I always sleep with my door open.

Dull Week
First Motorist—How's the ol' bus hitting the days?
Second Motorist—Nobody all week.

No Chance
He—Do you think I can marry on \$2,500 a year?
She—Not me.

HANOVER

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Daly of North Andover, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson of Methuen, Mass., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Daly, Miss Doris Daly who has been spending the past two weeks here returning with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barrows and daughter Alzie, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Barrows were Sunday visitors at Roena Silver's.

Miss Elizabeth Smith left Tuesday for New Jersey. Later she will go to North Carolina where she will spend the winter.

Dwight Virgin of Rockland was a guest of Arthur Howe over Labor Day. Mrs. Augusta Merrill has returned from a week's visit in Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Albion Field of Mexico and Miss Ethel Russell were supper guests of their sister, Mrs. Lucy Dyke, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cummings and family spent Sunday and Monday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Pillsbury at Onnessee.

Kenneth Kimball of South Poland was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rowe and son Preston of Winchester, Mass., were guests of their cousins, A. R. and C. F. Saunders, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bigsins and family returned to their home Monday having spent the summer at their camp at Howard Lake.

Mrs. Pauline Lovejoy is again at her summer home having spent a short time with her sister.

Born

In Lovell, Aug. 27, to the wife of Francis Lally, a son.
In Norway, Aug. 25, to the wife of Florida Gordon, a son, Jean Paul.
In South Paris, Aug. 11, to the wife of Kenneth L. Millett, a son, Milford.

In West Bethel, Sept. 2, to the wife of Bernard Rolfe, a son, Burton Philip.

Married

In Norway, Sept. 2, by Rev. W. W. Lyon, Norman D. Gould of South Paris and Mrs. Leona G. Tubbs of Norway.
In Dixfield, Sept. 3, by Rev. L. A. Edwards, Warren E. Percival of Gorham, N. H., and Miss Gertrude Stowell of Dixfield.

In Conway, N. H., Aug. 11, by Leslie C. Hill, Town Clerk, Leland Alfred Witham of Norway and Miss Barbara Joy Sweet of South Paris.

Died

In Pittsfield, Mass., Sept. 7, Nahum P. Moore of Bethel, aged 34 years.
In Norway, Aug. 29, Mrs. Eunice Sophia Watson, aged 78 years.
In Oxford, Aug. 24, Winfield S. French, aged 80 years.

In Buckfield, Aug. 20, Charles T. Bowen, aged 55 years.
In Bethel, Sept. 1, Dr. John G. Gehring, aged 73 years.
In West Paris, Aug. 29, Joseph Pulvin.

WEST PARIS

A correction should be made of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Doughty which should read Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Doughty.

Harry Willis Caldwell, third son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Caldwell of Quincy, Mass., was christened at the Universalist church Sunday morning by the pastor, Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, who two years ago christened the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell at the Canton Point Universalist church.

Visitors present at Sunday morning service were Mrs. Samuel Hayden, Canton Point, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hammond of Peru, their son-in-law, Mr. Wheeler and his sister, Miss Wheeler, of Dover, and Mrs. Helene Bubber of South Paris.

The Good Will Society met Wednesday with Rev. E. B. Forbes.

The Universalist church opened Sept. 4 with an attendance of 29 in the Primary department and an offering of 62 cents. There are the following classes: "Rainbow," "Stars," "Sunbeam," "Willing Helpers," and "Christian Heralds." All those in the Primary Department interested in making the World Friendship books will meet at Good Will Hall Wednesday night directly after school. All members of the Rainbow class were present except one.

Mrs. Clara Ricker of Bristol, N. H., was the guest several days last week of her sister, Miss Mabel E. Ricker.

Miss Nettie DeCoster of Buckfield has visited her friend, Miss Betty Hollis.

Mrs. Lewis J. Mann spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chebrook, at Somerville, Mass.

E. R. Dunham of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting his sister-in-law, Mrs. Clara Dunham.

Mrs. Jennie B. Dunham is visiting relatives in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Emma Berry has been a recent guest of her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Jackson.

Three sisters of the Rev. Mr. Maxwell of Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell over Sunday.

Miss Ethel Brock left Friday by auto bus for Scotland, Ga., where she is principal of a grade school.

Mrs. Belle Robinson was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Addie Stone, over the week end, and attended the Jackson reunion in Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gammon have entertained Mrs. Gammon's nieces, Maud and Alice Stevens of Bryant Pond, who returned home Monday night. Tuesday's guests were Mrs. Bertha Keniston, matron at Ken's Hill Seminary, Mrs. Frank Wilburger and daughter Norma of Norway.

Dr. Kent, Emil Immonen, Jacob Immonen and Wendall Ring spent last week in Boston, making the trip by auto.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Richardson were at Skowhegan last week to attend the blacksmiths' convention held there.

West Paris people were very fortunate in getting a full clear view of the eclipse. Only a few fleecy clouds at short intervals obstructed the view at any time.

Fernald's Mill, Albany

Clayton Penley, Gard and Wendall Barker are picking corn at North Fryeburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Will McAllister were in Norway Saturday.

Mrs. Leon Flanders and two children have returned home. Clayton Penley and her brother, Bertram Tugge, went as far as Franklin, N. H., with her. Elmer Saunders was in town a few days last week calling on friends.

Mrs. Gladys Swan from Portland spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Rose Eames, at the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford McAllister of Locke Mills, visited at her mother's, Mrs. Flora McAllister, Sunday.

ODEON HALL, BETHEL

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Francis Mills has returned London, England, where he has the past three months, and being back to Quincy, Mass., school, spent the week with his mother, Mrs. Emma Mills.

Irene Saunders is at work at mill at Locke Mills.

Raymond Tyler was in Wood N. H., one day last week.

Arthur and George Gilbert were on a camping trip with the Boy Scouts at Locke Mills last week.

Clarence Bennett and daughter, Margaret were in Portland Thursday. Laurence and Robert Perry Thursday night at the Lutton camp.

It is understood that Herman Nett has bought a house lot from a Hutchinson and intends to later.

Mr. and Mrs. Forde Parlin of Vineyard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kneeland family at Goodridge Cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland Kimball, Mrs. Cora Brown were in Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Palmer, T. W. Vashaw and son Tom guests of Mrs. Estella Goodridge day.

Kathryn Lowell has returned after spending the summer at the Burne Basin Camps.

Madlyn Bell expects to go to Springfield, Mass., to school next. She is at present with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Bell.

Mrs. R. M. Kneeland and children, Frederick and Regina, are to spend some time in Saco. Kneeland's mother, Mrs. A. A. Goodridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry and Laurence and Robert, were in Saco last Tuesday.

Albert Kimball is at work with truck in Grafton.

Mrs. Betty Mills of East Saco spent Monday with Mrs. Emma and Mrs. Bernard Rolfe in joining over the birth of a 10½ lb. boy. He has been named Burton. Mrs. Philip Rolfe is caring for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bell of Saco, the guests of Mrs. Stella Good Sunday.

Mrs. Carlton Saunders has been working at the mill in Locke Mills. Mrs. Clara Abbott is spending weeks in Saco. Her granddaughters, went with her.

Mrs. George Auger was in Saco, a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Abbott, daughters, Joyce and Marilyn, Mrs. Byron Abbott and daughter line were in Norway one day week.

Roland Kneeland of Saco was in town over the holiday.

Hollis Hutchinson is at North Fryeburg.

POLITICAL NOTICE

Republican voters, desiring participation to the polls on Monday please call Bethel 67-23.

FRED F. BEAN, Chairman, Bethel Republican Town Committee.

Political Advertisement

VOTERS OF OXFORD COUNTY

I solicit your vote on September 12th for my customary term as County Attorney.

Standard for rigid enforcement of criminal laws and full protection of property rights; for the term I have given my time and energy to the duties required. With the experience which I have acquired during the present term, I am able to the people of Oxford County the full extent, and if elected will continue to serve to the best of my ability.

E. WALKER ABBOTT

Republican Candidate for Re-election as County Attorney

The ancient log bridge over Kell Brook, Lubec, after 100 years of use has been demolished and a new concrete bridge is being built. It is stated that during the life of the bridge enough money has been collected to build several new ones.